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Ms. Nancy Smith
Massachusetts Site Assessment Manager
US EPA Region I
One Congress Street, Suite 1100
Boston, MA 02114

Vitale Fly Ash Pit
Town: Beverly, MA
Site: Varian-Microwave Div (Fmr)
CERCLIS No.: MAD981068273
RTNs: 3-0000485 (Tier 1B)

Dear Ms. Smith,

The purpose of this letter is to update your records regarding the status of the Varian-Microwave Div (Fmr) site located in Beverly, MA. This site is currently classified as a Tier 1B site and is progressing under the privatized program.

MADEP recommends that the Varian-Microwave Div (Fmr) site remain on CERCLIS as a State Lead site until it complies with all state requirements. Please contact Harish Panchal in Boston at (617) 556-1118 or Patricia Donahue in NERO at (978) 661-7730 if you have any questions regarding the above site recommendation.

Sincerely,

Jay Naparstek, Section Chief
Division of Response and Remediation

cc: Steven Johnson, Section Chief, DEP/NERO
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